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THE CONFERENCES.

The Congress met on Saturday for the sixth time.

FRANCE.

The *Monitor* of yesterday contains the following announcement:

"The expectation of peace gives rise to numerous projects of enterprise. New companies are in course of formation, and every day send in petitions to the Emperor. It is true that the Emperor has been obliged to restrain exaggerated hopes and views, which might endanger affairs already undertaken, and injuriously affect credit. The Emperor has decided that, whatever may be the issue of the negotiations now pending, the Government will maintain the reserve it has stamped on itself, and that no enterprise entailing any issue of fresh scrips or shares will be authorised during this current year."

The *Monitor* also publishes the following bulletin respecting the health of the ex-Emperor Prince Jerome:

MARCH 8, 9 o'clock, p.m.—H. I. H. Prince Jerome Napoleon is attacked with inflammation of the chest. Leeches have been applied, and bleeding here resorted to. The oppression of the chest and the vanguard expectations are such as to excite anxiety.

MARCH 8, 8 o'clock a.m.—Since last night the state of his Imperial Highness has improved.

MARCH 8, at noon.—The state of H. I. H. the Prince continues to improve.

MARCH 8, 6 o'clock p.m.—The state of H. I. H. the Prince Jerome is very satisfactory, the improvement progressive and decided.

From Paris Correspondent of Daily News.

SATURDAY EVENING.—At three o'clock this afternoon the Emperor and Empress paid him (Prince Jerome) a visit. At 8 o'clock, p.m., he left the palace for half an hour. The Empress, who came to the Palais Royal in an open carriage, looked remarkably well.

"Mr. Paul Dubois, the imperial accoucher," says the *Gazette des Tribunaux*, "will probably prolong his stay at the Palace of the Tuilleries until the completion of the achievement of the Empress. It is expected that this event will take place between the 15th and 25th instant, such being the period indicated by the dates of the Emperor's confinement." He was born on the morning of the 12th October last, stating that her Majesty had just entered on the fifth month of her pregnancy.

At Paris to-day (March 8) the Three per Cent. Rente closed at 72.10 for money; 72.70 for account, being an advance of 10 centimes on the previous day's closing price. At Frankfurt the Austrian stock has advanced 1 per cent.

RUSSIA.

A letter from Odessa, of the 22nd ultimo, in the *Austrian Gazette*, says: "The Greek Legion, Nicholas Muris, ranks as a captain in the Russian army. This legion is to be quartered in Bessarabia, and will probably be disbanded at the conclusion of the war."

General Count Osterlenkosen stated this day at St. Petersburg. The regiments of the Guard under General Panintine are still in the Crimea, and will not return to the north before May, even if peace be concluded. The new commander of the Crimean Army has taken his head quarters from Bakshi Serai to Simpheropol.

Accounts confirm the information previously received of the preparations which are being made by the Russian Government in the event of hostilities being renewed in spring, according to a St. Petersburg letter in the *Courier de la Presse*. The fleet will be added to the flotilla of row-boats for the defence of the coast, and the Admirals who have left for Swabian ports are said to have received the most absolute instructions for the defence of that fortress.

THE BAL TIC.

Hamburg, March 6.

An order from the Admiralty has been received for Commodore Watson to leave Kiel for the island of Moon, where the British squadron is to assemble, and immediately commence the blockade in the Baltic.

PRUSSIA.

The King of Prussia, says a letter from Berlin of the 3rd, came into this capital yesterday from his constant residence, and paid a visit to Prince George of Mecklenburg Strélitz, and his consort the Grand Duchess Catherine, who arrived the same day at the Russian Embassy.

Projects for the establishment of private banks, increasing in such an extraordinary manner, the German Empire is deluged with the means of preventing the serious issue of bank notes.

AUSTRIA AND TURKEY.

The correspondent of Nuremberg has discovered that before the breaking out of the present war, England had commenced secret negotiations with the Porte for the cession of the coast, known as the name of Sutorina in the Adriatic, in order to cut off the communication for her war steamers. But the Austro-Serbian Government was informed in time of what was going on, so Baron de Froehsch immediately took decisive steps to prevent the execution of the project. The correspondent adds the question of ceding Sutorina to Austria for suitable indemnity will, it is said, be settled between Count Buol and Ali Pasha, at Paris.

It is proposed to obtain for a joint-stock company power to incorporate with the Government, and establish a grand model hotel in the metropolis, and originate a reform in our whole system of hotel administration. It need not be difficult for the projectors to select a site, and find a site eligible for the reconstruction of their hospitalities. The site of the Theatre North has prepared a place for them. It is impossible that any persons can be found venturesome enough to restore the Theatre of Covent Garden from its ashes, and therefore they must turn to another theatre for the drama. The fate of their theatre will be determined to embark in a similar career. Here, then, is a large vacant space admirably situated for the purposes of those who wish to give London more hotels.

RAILWAY OPERATIONS IN WESTERN INDIA.—We glad to learn that Lord Dalhousie, just before resigning the reins of Government to his successor, signified his approval of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway line from Bombay to Calcutta, and that he had approved on last year by Mr. Berkeley, the Company's Chief Resident Engineer. This line has been staked from the foot of the Thull Ghaut to Julgaum on the west coast of India, and the part of Bengal including Oomrawaty, to Nagpore. The great Mirzapoor line, the preliminary levels of which have already been taken by Mr. Berkeley, and which were reported to be completed by the end of the year, will be worked from Calcutta. The line from Poona to Ahmedabad has been let on contract to Mr. Bray, who is immediately expected from the Calcutta side. The line is ready to start and ready to be commenced upon. The line from Bombay to Calcutta, via the Godavari and Krishna rivers, and only two works of importance: one over the Rheema and Seena rivers. This line will join the Madras Railway at the Krishna River, and the Hyderabad branch line from Sholapore to Bangalore in the Deccan. There also to be a branch of the Poona and Bangalore Line to Ahmednuggur, which will strike off somewhere between Poona and Indopore. The Bombay and Poona, and the Poona and Calcutta lines, the latter line, way, has been given in contract to Mr. Fyfe, and the company may well be congratulated on their good fortune that it has got into such good hands. It presents many engineering difficulties of any line in India, perhaps the greatest of all. The tunnelling through the Bhore Ghat is a most Titanic operation, and the completed work will be a wonder greater than the Nile diggings. There will be no fewer than sixteen tunnels, some of them some of the viaducts having pillars 20 feet in height! These works are progressing, under the direction of a staff of European engineers—the pupils of Mr. Fyfe, and in December last; amongst whom we have seen Messrs. Horne, Dickinson and Scott are the prominent. The contract for the Bhore Ghat alone amounts to Rs. 1,000 lakhs, and it is very probable that it will require a much larger sum. To finish the work, as it is almost certain that the engineers will, as it goes on, have to alter both their plans and their estimates. We do not know what the rest of the contract for the Khandwa and Sholapore line is worth, but imagine that it cannot be much under this lakhs more. This part of the line will be in progress for two years from this time, and the whole line from Bombay to Sholapore (excepting the Bhore Ghat), will, it is fully anticipated, be open for traffic on the 1st May next. The whole line from Bombay to Sholapore (including the Bhore Ghat) will, it is fully anticipated, be open for traffic on the 1st May next.

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